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1. The following extracts from CSAF (AFOAP) msg 061607Z

Jan 70 is provided for your info and it is suggested that

you pass it along to SMTJO. This is the third time in

the past 3 months we have had to defend P437. ADC will reclaim having P437 status included in the host support plan.

2. QUOTE: Ref: A. (C) CSAF (AFRDOSN) 212221Z Nov 69.

B. (C) Hq USAF (AFRDOSN) Ltr, Johnston Island Mgt, 21

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C. (C) CSAF (AFRDQSN) 022049Z Dec 69.

D. (C) PACAF (DPL) 160513Z Dec 69.

E. (C) NCPACAF 190235Z Dec 69.

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1. Ref A tasked PACAF to develop the plan for USAF assumption of management of Johnston Island and to submit proposed final plan to USAF by 0830 EST, 23 Dec 69. Ref B requested "b1" info concerning maintenance and operation of facilities on Johnston Island. Ref C established management plan alternatives. Ref D was submission of PACAF preliminary Plan. Ref E requests extension on date of submission to USAF of final plan and change in alternatives specified in Ref C & D.

2. Realize subject plan cannot be finalized until inputs from other agencies are made available.

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3. Alternatives as recommended in Ref B are considered appropriate for inclusion as two of the alternatives

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in final plan. Further recommend two additional alternatives be considered: A. Savings which would be realized should the 437 Program be reduced to a caretaker status with a standby capability and B. Removal of 437 Program from Johnston atoll. With the inclusion of the later two alternatives, it is realized management costs would be considerably lessened. You are authorized direct communication with ADC and we recommend consultation in developing alternatives affecting the 437 Program. UNQUOTE.

3. We will keep you informed of further developments.

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